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METHOD OF MOVING IMAGE  
SIGNAL, AND DECODING  
AND CODING APPARATUS OF  
MOVING IMAGE SIGNAL  
USING THE SAME

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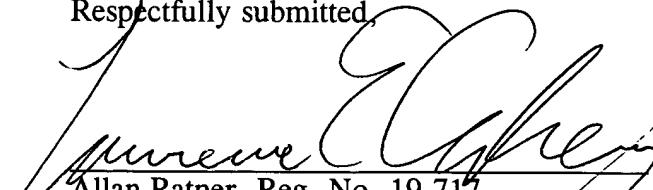
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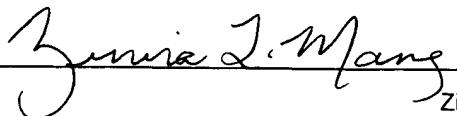
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